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**RESPONSE AFTER APPEALS TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND  
INTERFERENCES AND TO THE FEDERAL CIRCUIT**

Applicant submits the following response in the above-identified United States patent application. This response takes into account the decisions of the Board of Appeals and the Federal Circuit. It is the intent of this response to place the application in condition for allowance based on the decisions of the Board and the Federal Circuit.

If any extensions of time, or if there are any other fees, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge them to Deposit Account 18-1167.